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To: Microsoft ATR **Date:** 1/3/02 8:51pm

Subject: Settlement Comments

Hello DOJ:

We are a small 2 person business, selling special building products in the US and Europe. We could not have had the success we have had without the benefit of integrated software from Microsoft. Business is difficult enough, and we have little time to invest into the workings of our computers or software too, however we must. We have found that there is more of a chance for integration errors when there is more than one type of software. So we appreciate the Microsoft Windows, Explorer and Office software all working together, almost seamlessly.

We have followed the case hoping Microsoft's advisories would not prevail. The settlement as we understand it is fair and will benefit many young people who otherwise may not get the chance to learn and interact with such an essential tool as a computer and good software. I would hope that the DOJ could divert its assets devoted to this case towards seeking out foreign and domestic terrorists because that is the most serious issue we in the civilized world face today.

Sincerely,

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